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Attention: [REDACTED]

Dear Temp:

The enclosed memo to file contains a summary of the reasons for choice of the IBM TDPS computer for use in the EMR operational AGE. This subject was discussed previously by telephone with [REDACTED] and again at the EMR Design Review Meeting on May 14, 1964.

An additional advantage for the IBM unit not mentioned in the memo is that the basic thin film circuit cards are the same as those IBM is using in the new line of IBM 360 computers, and hence will have world wide distribution - an asset for spare parts procurement. Considering all factors, we believe the IBM unit is the best choice for the program. Please call if more detailed information is desired.

Sincerely,

*Jim Fox*  
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